

TRAINING OPPORTUNITIES FOR FEDERAL TRIO PROGRAMS PERSONNEL

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Introduction

Whether you are new to your TRIO program or have been involved with a TRIO program for many years, there may be an upcoming training session that can help you do your job more effectively. The Training Program for Federal TRIO Programs Personnel (Training Program) was designed to support you - TRIO personnel - with the goal of improving the operation and success of TRIO programs. We encourage you to look at the information provided here and to share it with your colleagues. Many of you have set aside funds in your grant for training. Here is an opportunity to attend trainings designed especially for TRIO personnel.

You will notice that the schedule of trainings is organized by “Priority.” These priorities were legislated by Congress and/or endorsed by the Department of Education. The organizations noted in this document received grants to provide trainings that address one or more of the priorities. The organizations have created trainings that are appropriate for personnel of all levels and experience. Some of the trainings will be most appropriate for personnel from a specific TRIO program. Where special emphasis will be given to a specific TRIO program, we have noted that information. Some of the trainings will be held at the same time or close to the same time as a state meeting or a conference that you might also be attending. Where a training session is scheduled to coincide with a regional or state meeting/conference, we have noted that information

If you want to learn more about a specific training, you will find more details, including how to register, on each organization’s Web site. There also is a contact name listed for each organization and that person can help you with any questions on a specific training session. If you have additional questions about the Training Program that are not answered here, please contact the Training Program Lead, Jane Wrenn at 202-502-7614 or by e-mail at: jane.wrenn@ed.gov.

Priorities of the Training Program for Federal TRIO Programs

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Training to improve: record keeping; reporting student and project performance; and the evaluation of project performance in order to design and operate a model TRIO project.

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Training on: budget management; and the legislative and regulatory requirements for operation of the Federal TRIO Programs.

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Training on: assessment of student needs; proven retention and graduation strategies; and the use of educational technology in order to design and operate a model TRIO project.

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Training on: student financial aid; and college and university admissions policies and procedures.

Training Contact Information and Schedule

Priority #1 - Training to improve: record keeping; reporting student and project performance; and, the evaluation of project performance in order to design and operate a model TRIO project.

	DATES	LOCATION	GRANTEE	CONTACT
1	February 14-16, 2008	Las Vegas, NV	Southeastern Association of Educational Opportunity Program Personnel (SAEOPP) 75 Piedmont Avenue, N.E. Suite 408 Atlanta, GA 30303	Dr. John S. Epps Project Director Phone: 404-522-4642 Fax: 404-522-6248 E-mail: epps@bellsouth.net Web site: www.saeopp.org -- click on the Training link
2	March 27-29, 2008	San Antonio, TX		
3	April 28-29, 2008 (AL & MS Meeting)	Jacksonville, FL		
4	May 1-3, 2008	New Orleans, LA		
5	August 6-9, 2008	San Juan, PR		
6	October 3-4, 2007 (ASPIRE Conference)	Denver, CO	University of Washington Box 355845 Seattle, WA 98195	Dr. Karen L. Morell Project Director Phone: 206-543-9288 Fax: 206-685-2457 E-mail: trio@u.washington.edu Web site: http://depts.washington.edu/trio/training
7	December 9-11, 2007 (NASP Conference)	Portland, OR		
8	April 4-5, 2008 (WESTOP Conference)	Kona/Waikoloa, HI		
9	Spring/Summer 2008 TBA	Seattle, WA		
10	October 1, 2007 – September 30, 2008	Online		

Priority #2 - Training on: budget management, and the legislative and regulatory requirements for operation of the Federal TRIO Programs.

	DATE	LOCATION	GRANTEE	CONTACT
1	October 15-November 9, 2007 (McNair)	Online	Lewis-Clark State College 500 8 th Street Lewiston, ID 83501	Mr. Scott Clyde Project Director Phone: 208-792-2358 Fax: 208-792-2764 E-mail: triotraining@lcsc.edu Web site: http://www.lcsc.edu/triotraining
2	January 7-February 1, 2008 (Talent Search)	Online		
3	March 3-28, 2008 (Upward Bound)	Online		
4	June 2-27, 2008 (Student Support Services)	Online		
5	January 16 -18, 2008	Las Vegas, NV	University of Nevada at Las Vegas 405 Maryland Parkway Las Vegas, NV 89154-2006	Dr. Muriel Grimmett Project Director Information/registration: Evelyn Johnson Phone: 702-597-2545 Fax: 702-597-0127 E-mail: triotraining@unlv.edu Web site: http://cao.unlv.edu/training.html
6	May 23-25, 2008	Chicago, IL		

Priority #3 - Training on: assessment of student needs; proven retention and graduation strategies; and the use of educational technology in order to design and operate a model TRIO project.

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1	October 1-2, 2007 (ASPIRE Conference)	Denver, CO	University of Washington Box 355845 Seattle, WA 98195	Dr. Karen L. Morell Project Director Phone: 206-543-9288 Fax: 206-685-2457 E-mail: trio@u.washington.edu Web site: http://depts.washington.edu/trio/training
2	November 26-27, 2007 (SWASAP Conference)	New Orleans, LA		
3	December 8-9, 2007 (NASP Conference)	Portland, OR		
4	April 7-8, 2008 (WESTOP Conference)	Kona/Waikoloa, HI		
5	October 1, 2007- September 30, 2008	Online		
6	December 3, 2007	Webcast/Teleconference Ashburn, VA	Southeastern Association of Educational Opportunity Program Personnel (SAEOPP) 75 Piedmont Avenue, N.E. Suite 408 Atlanta, GA 30303	Dr. John S. Epps Project Director Phone: 404-522-4642 Fax: 404-522-6248 E-mail: eppsj@bellsouth.net Web site: www.saeopp.org -- click on the Training link
7	January 23-26, 2008	Memphis, TN		
8	February 6-9, 2008	Orlando, FL		
9	April 16-19, 2008	Las Vegas, NV		
10	May 14-17, 2008	Detroit, MI		
11	July 31–August 2, 2008	San Juan, PR		

Priority #4 - Training on: student financial aid, and college and university admissions policies and procedures.

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1	January 13-15, 2008	Las Vegas, NV	University of Nevada at Las Vegas 405 Maryland Parkway Las Vegas, NV 89154	Dr. Muriel Grimmett Project Director Information/registration: Evelyn Johnson Phone: 702-597-2545 Fax: 702-597-0127 E-mail: triotraining@unlv.edu Web site: http://caeo.unlv.edu/training.html
2	May 20-22, 2008	Chicago, IL		
3	October 10-11, 2007	Las Vegas, NM	Council for Opportunity in Education (COE) 1025 Vermont Avenue, N.W. Suite 900 Washington, DC 20005	Ms. Julia Tower Project Director Registration/information: angela.shell@coenet.us Phone: 202-347-7430 Fax: 202-347-0786 Web site: www.coenet.us
4	January 28-29, 2008	Miami, FL		
5	April 9-11, 2008 (MO/KS/NE Trio Meeting)	Kansas City, MO		
6	April 15, 2008 (KY Trio Meeting)	Cumberland State Park, KY		